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- ☒ Print EFS Data Sheet
- ☒ 59 Pages of Specification including Abstract and Claims
- ☒ 12 Numbered Claims Calculated as 12 Claims for Fee Purposes
- ☒ 14 Sheets of Drawing Containing Figures 1 to 17. (Formal)
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned)
- ☒ Priority is Claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119:
- Convention Date December 16, 1999 for Japanese Appln. S.N. 11-357273
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- ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed.
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